



**Air Force Association**

An Independent Non Profit Aerospace Organization

*I mailed  
you  
response - B*

**Please Reply to:**

Don J. Daley, President  
Hawaii State Organization  
Air Force Association  
c/o First Hawaiian Bank  
Post Office Box 3200  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96847

Dear General:

Not long ago we sent out a letter (see attached) regarding the retirement of our mutual friend General Bob Bazley.

Because the plan was to present the books of letters to him at our October meeting we indicated a September 15 date for receipt of the letters. However, we now have rescheduled the presentation for December 12 so there is still time for you to respond if you wish.

We know you join with us in wishing Bob and Dolores all the best in their retirement years.

Aloha nui loa,

*Don J. Daley*  
Don J. Daley

DJD:kmd



An Independent Non Profit Aerospace Organization

*Please Reply to:*

Don J. Daley, President  
AFA-Hawaii Chapter 138  
c/o First Hawaiian Bank  
Post Office Box 3200  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96847

Dear

A ceremony coming up later this year will mark the end of an era for the U.S. Air Force. The event will be a retirement ceremony for General Robert W. (Bob) Bazley, USAF, Commander in Chief, Pacific Airforces, the senior active duty Air Force four star general and the last of our senior commanders who were on active duty during World War II.

The Hawaii Chapter of the Air Force Association is planning, in confidentiality, a book of letters from all active duty general officers in the Air Force extending greetings and best wishes to this outstanding officer for his more than 37 years of military service to our nation. The book will be presented to him at the ceremony (date yet to be established.)

General Bazley first enlisted in September 1943 and entered active duty through the aviation cadet program in January 1944. He received his Navigator Wings and was commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the U.S. Army Air Forces in March 1945. At the close of World War II, the General was undergoing B-29 combat crew training. Coinciding with the completion of his training, World War II came to an end and the then Second Lieutenant Bazley was released from active duty.

He was recalled to active duty in November 1951 and has served continuously since that time, seeing action in both the Korean and Vietnam Conflicts. As a command pilot and navigator, he has accumulated in excess of 4,500 flying hours. He has been awarded numerous decorations to include the Distinguished Service Medal, Defense Superior Service Medal, Legion of Merit, Distinguished Flying Cross, Bronze Star and the World War II Victory Medal.

Since his assignment as CINCPACAF in September 1984, Bob Bazley has been an ardent supporter of our local AFA Chapter and diligent in his activities in support of community projects in Hawaii. He has endeared himself to our community as a whole. As such, we have taken on this project to express our appreciation.

I hope you will join us in extending our thanks and appreciation by sending to me, an appropriate letter addressed to Bob, for inclusion in the book.

Page Two

I would like to have the letter in hand not later than September 15 if at all possible. My address is:

Don J. Daley  
President, Hawaii State Organization  
Air Force Association  
c/o First Hawaiian Bank  
Post Office Box 3200  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96847

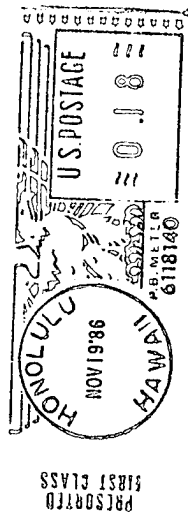
May I again note that we would like for this to be a surprise for Bob and ask for your confidential assistance.

Thank you in advance.

Sincerely,

Don J. Daley  
President, Hawaii State Organization  
Air Force Association

DJD:kmd



BRIG GEN FRANK B. HORTON, III  
~~DEP DIR, NSTL DIV, ISIPS~~  
~~OFFUTT AFB, NE 68119-5001~~

Chairman, National Intelligence  
Council  
Central Intelligence Agency, RM 7E4  
Washington, D.C. 20505

